Brown Eyed Susans - 300 pcs

350° oven

½ c butter
½ c. shortening
3 tbs sugar
1 tsp almond Extract
2 cups sifted flour
½ tsp salt

Cream butter + shortening. Blend in sugar, al. extract, flour + salt. Roll level tbs of dough into balls. Place on greased cookie sheet and flatten slightly. Bake 400° for 10 - 12 mins. Cool.

1½ cp. confect. sugar
2 tbs cocoa
2 tbs hot water
½ tsp vanilla
Blanched almond halves

Combine sugar & cocoa; add hot water, vanilla. Put ½ tsp frosting on each cookie. Top with almond half